

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

AMANA GLOBAL COMPANY, et
al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

KING COUNTY FLOOD
CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. C22-1626JLR

MINUTE ORDER

The following minute order is made by the direction of the court, the Honorable
James L. Robart:

Before the court is a letter filed by counsel for Defendant King County Flood
Control Zone District (“King Flood”). (Letter (Dkt. # 20).) In the letter, counsel states
that the parties “jointly request a continuance of the deadlines outlined” in the court’s
February 24, 2023 initial scheduling order. (*Id.*; *see also* 2/24/23 Order (Dkt. # 15).) The
parties request this continuance in light of King Flood’s pending motion to dismiss;

1 Defendants King County, Josh Baldi, John Taylor, and Michael Murphy’s forthcoming
2 motion to dismiss; and Defendant Pan Abode Homes, Inc.’s likely forthcoming motion to
3 dismiss. (*See* MTD (Dkt. # 19); Letter.) Because King Flood’s motion to dismiss notes
4 on April 14, 2023 (*see* Letter; Dkt.), the parties ask the court to continue its initial
5 scheduling deadlines “to a date after April 14, 2023” (Letter).

6 The court GRANTS the parties’ request for a continuance of the deadlines
7 outlined in the court’s February 24, 2023 initial scheduling order.¹ The Clerk will enter a
8 new initial scheduling order, if appropriate, after the court rules on Defendants’ motions
9 to dismiss.

10 Filed and entered this 14th day of March, 2023.

11 RAVI SUBRAMANIAN
12 Clerk of Court

13 s/ Ashleigh Drecktrah
14 Deputy Clerk

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20 ¹ The court directs the parties to this District’s local rules and the Federal Rules of Civil
21 Procedure, which set forth the procedures for a request to continue a deadline. (*See* 2/24/23
22 Order at 1 (“Any request for an extension should be made by filing a motion or stipulated motion
pursuant to Local Civil Rule 7(j).”)); *see, e.g.*, Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 7(j), 16(a)-(b); Fed.
R. Civ. P. 6(b), 16(b). The court will not consider a second request that fails to comply with
these rules.